

News from the Prayer Path

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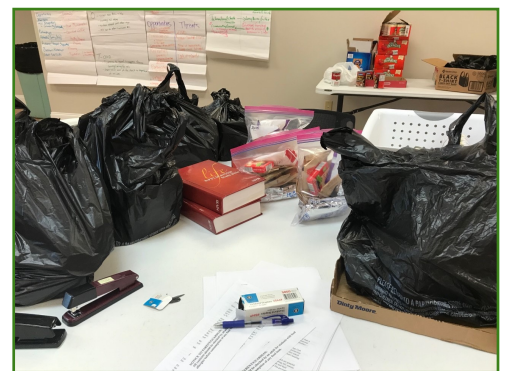
I thank God for you. Without your partnership, none of this would be possible.



A dedicated group of prayer warriors serve as my prayer support and iron-sharpens-iron accountability partners. Every Sunday morning, I send them an update on the previous week's work with a list of prayer needs. In a recent email, I mentioned the problem of getting signed consent forms for students to receive the supplemental weekend food we supply and the possibility of verbal consent. It wasn't optimal but I wasn't sure what else to do.

The next morning, we had two students signed up. By Tuesday morning we had more than twenty sign-ups via verbal consent. We tweaked the process a bit to cover our liability and went to work. It was an exciting 48 hours. I shopped until I dropped (almost literally) and faithful, tireless volunteers labeled (by hand) hundreds of pop tart and oatmeal packets with expiration dates. While I was tied up in meetings, they packed everything then came back to help me deliver it all. **We now have twenty-four students signed up for weekly supplemental weekend food.**

The picture (right) says it all. Food bags packed. Bibles at the center of it all. God's Word and His direction are the foundation for everything we do. Together, we served the least of these in the name of Jesus. **It would be impossible without you.** Thank you, friends, for coming to the rescue at the last minute to make this Thanksgiving outreach possible. **With resumption of weekly food bags and the massive Christmas holiday food distribution a few weeks away, your help is needed more than ever to help feed hungry students.**



“And the King will answer them, ‘Don’t you know? When you cared for one of the least important of these my little ones, my true brothers and sisters, you demonstrated love for me.’” Matthew 25:40 TPT



“Who is we?” someone asked me recently after I described the work “we” do. “All my partners,” I told him. “I can’t do this much work by myself. It takes a multitude of volunteers, financial partners, and prayer partners to make it happen. We do it together.” I never want to forget one important fact: This is not my ministry. It’s God’s and He uses the body of Christ to accomplish what no one person could do alone. You’re amazing and your generosity of time and resources simply astounds me. Thank you, friends. You make a bigger difference than you know.

Missionary Care Matters: 2020. Imagine spending your first year in a foreign country in quarantine due to COVID. Tough, right? What if your planned trip home for the birth of a first grandchild, family wedding, or death of a parent was cancelled due to the pandemic? Many of our missionaries experienced those situations and more. I’m grateful to be part of the team that prays them through their toughest times and welcomes them home to help them recovery, plan, refresh, and recharge. **Caring for missionaries is kingdom work as it helps them return to the field healthy and ready to serve as the hands and feet of Jesus.**



Prayer needs: 1. **Additional financial support** to provide for all the different projects we administer is desperately needed. Pledged support is far below monthly needs. 2. **Additional volunteers** are needed to help with a new Untapped Power Grid project providing a “virtual” (but laminated paper) prayer walk for senior adult prayer warriors to help change the world one prayer at a time. 3. **Rest and refreshment.** This year has challenged and stretched me beyond what I thought possible. Fewer volunteers in the office resulted in my working long hours, most nights, and almost every weekend. Your prayers for rest and refreshment over the holidays are appreciated.

Leanna joined Global Outreach as a peer-to-peer funded missionary in 2016. She’s raising her own support and needs your help to make ministry projects like the Transforming Tupelo/Feeding students program, homeless outreach, missionary prayer support, and women’s outreach possible. Contact her at: lhollis@globaloutreach.org

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